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15 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
16 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
17 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

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19 GEORGE THOMPSON,

20 Plaintiff,

21 v.

22 SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT
23 AMERICA LLC, and SONY NETWORK
ENTERTAINMENT INTERNATIONAL LLC,

24 Defendants.

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Case No. 3:11-cv-02340-EMC

STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER TO VACATE CASE — ~~RESET~~ MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND ASSOCIATED DEADLINES

Judge: Hon. Edward M. Chen

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2 **STIPULATION TO VACATE CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND**
3 **ASSOCIATED DEADLINES**

4 WHEREAS, defendants Sony Computer Entertainment America LLC (“SCEA”) and
5 Sony Network Entertainment International LLC (“SNEI”), as well as certain related entities
6 (collectively, the “Sony Defendants”), have been named as defendants in at least sixty-two (62)
7 putative class action lawsuits, including this lawsuit, to date;

8 WHEREAS, a motion is currently pending before the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict
9 Litigation (the “JPML”) to centralize this and other matters before a single district court, to which
10 multiple responses, including the Sony Defendants’ response, have been filed to date and are
11 under submission before the JPML, with a hearing date of July 28, 2011;

12 WHEREAS, the current date of the initial Case Management Conference (“CMC”) in this
13 case is August 24, 2011 and certain other deadlines are set forth in the Order Setting Initial Case
14 Management Conference and ADR Deadlines;

15 WHEREAS, the parties have agreed that it is in the best interests of all parties to vacate
16 the CMC and associated deadlines in this case in order to facilitate the scheduling of this matter in
17 coordination with the schedule for the motion and hearing before the JPML;

18 NOW, THEREFORE, all parties, by and through their respective counsel, hereby stipulate
19 for an order as follows:

20 In light of the motion for centralization pending before the JPML, the CMC and all
21 associated deadlines, including those set forth in the Order Setting Initial Case Management
22 Conference and ADR Deadlines, in the above-entitled action shall be vacated and further pretrial
23 and scheduling matters shall be addressed by the transferee judge following centralization or, in
24 the event such motion for centralization is denied, the defendants will notify the Court within a
25 reasonable time thereafter, so that the Court may at that time issue a revised case schedule.

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2 Dated: July 27, 2011
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8 Dated: July 27, 2011
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16 and
17 SONY NETWORK ENTERTAINMENT
18 INTERNATIONAL LLC

19 [PROPOSED] ORDER
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21 PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.
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23 The CMC is reset from 9/16/11
24 to 1/27/12. A joint CMC
25 statement shall be filed by
26 1/20/12.
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28 Dated: 7/28/11

By: _____

